

A Community Newsletter from Alameda County Industries Your Recyclables, Organics & Garbage Service Provider

JULY - SEPTEMBER 2019

# **Help Us Provide Clean & Efficient Service With** a Proper Cart Set Out

• Be sure your carts are at the curb. facing the street, by 6:00 am on your collection day. Log into your account or contact us to find out when we service your area.



- Leave the carts at the curb until we've emptied them. Our trucks may arrive at different times each week.
- Overflow garbage will only be collected if you have affixed a pre-paid tag to your trash bag. Call ACI to purchase tags or to arrange for additional service.
- Carts need to be placed with space between them so that the automated truck arm can service them properly. If possible, try to leave 3 feet between each cart.



- Do not place carts close to parked cars, fire hydrants, lowhanging branches, parking meters, utility poles and other obstacles.
- Do not overload your carts. The lids should close completely.
- Do not wedge or compact materials into your carts. Doing so will prevent your cart from being fully emptied when serviced.

### **Keep Our Employees Safe**

HAZARDOUS WASTE DOES NOT BELONG IN ANY ACI CART OR BIN.

Household **Batteries:** Can be dropped off



during office hours at the ACI office: 2307 Blanding Avenue, Suite B. Alameda. CA 94501 (no car batteries allowed).

Sharps: Deliver to an Alameda

County Household Hazardous Waste facility.

The County accepts sharps, batteries, medications, CFLs, pesticides, toxic cleaners and other hazardous waste.

Visit StopWaste.org/hhw or call 1-800-606-6606 for more information.



Service **Provided** 



on Labor Day

There are **NO** changes to the collection schedule during the week of Labor Day.

# Avoid Wishcycling

Make sure everything you put into the Blue **RECYCLABLES** cart is recyclable. Items that are not recyclable cause contamination. can damage sorting machinery, and make it so recyclables end up in a landfill.

#### WHEN IN DOUBT ....

FIND OUT! Visit our website or contact us if you have a question.



#### **CONTAMINATION ALERT!** THESE ITEMS DO NOT BELONG IN THE BLUE RECYCLABLES CART:

- Chip/snack packaging
- Plastic wrap/bags/film
- Crockery/dishware
- Styrofoam blocks/cups/peanuts
- Soiled paper towels/napkins
- CDs/VHS tapes
- Plastic plates/cups/cutlery

### **Reduce Waste by Stopping Unwanted Mail!**

### JUNK MAIL IS A HUGE WASTE OF OUR NATURAL RESOURCES - STOP IT FOR GOOD!

 Remove your address from the National Do Not Mail list: Directmail.com mail preference/

• Discontinue unwanted catalogs: CatalogChoice.org

 Prevent automatic phonebook deliveries: YellowPagesOptOut.com

#### FOR MORE REDUCTION TIPS VISIT: www.StopWaste.org.



# Mark Your Calendar

### Movies in the Park\*

Gates open at 6:30pm July 26, 2019 Alameda Point Multi-Purpose Field

Sept. 6, 2019 Levdecker Field **Bay Farm Island** 

#### Fourth of July Parade\*

July 4, 2019 - 10am Downtown Alameda

### Downtown Alameda

Art & Wine Faire Jul 27 & 28, 2019 10am - 6 pm Park Street between Encinal Ave. & Buena Vista Ave. For more info, visit: www.downtownalameda.com

Fireman's Breakfast\* July 28, 2019 - Station 1

\*For more info on these, and other events, visit: www.alamedaca.gov/ Shortcut-Content/Calendar



## **Remember to:** Refuse, Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Rot & Donate!







#### We are proud to be your service provider for **Recyclables, Organics & Garbage.**

### Contact us:

www.AlamedaCountyIndustries.com 510-483-1400

### **Office:**

Monday-Friday: 7am-6pm 2307 Blanding Avenue Suite B Alameda, CA 94501